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## WASHINGTON DAY AND NIGHT TALKS

### ROOSEVELT-CHURCHILL JOINT STATEMENT

MR. STEPHEN EARLY, President Roosevelt's Secretary, said yesterday that conferences between the President and Mr. Churchill were continuing day and night. British and American staffs were conferring simultaneously, sometimes separately, but always working under the guidance of the leaders. President Roosevelt and Mr. Churchill were seeing all kinds of experts—military, naval and air, says a Reuter message from Washington last night.

Mr. Early said that the conferences were continuing "in a very orderly and satisfactory way." He promised a joint statement when the two leaders felt they were ready to make one, but at the moment neither felt they had reached a point in their talks where a statement could be issued.

#### JOINT STATEMENT

WASHINGTON, Monday.—A joint Roosevelt-Churchill statement, says that the leaders are planning "the earliest maximum concentration of Allied war power upon the enemy."

The text of the joint statement reads:—

"The President and the Prime Minister, assisted by high naval, military and air authorities, are continuing the Washington series of conversations and conferences which began on Friday. The object in view is the earliest maximum concentration of Allied war power upon the enemy, and reviewing or, where necessary, further concentrating all measures which have for some time past been on foot to develop and sustain the effort of the United Nations.

"It would naturally be impossible to give any account of the course of the discussions, and unofficial statements about them can be no more than surmise.

"Complete understanding and harmony exists between all concerned in facing the vast and grave tasks which lie ahead.

"A number of outstanding points of detail, which it would have been difficult to settle by correspondence, had been adjusted by technical officers after consultation with the President and the Prime Minister."

In issuing the statement, Mr. Stephen Early, the President's Secretary, told journalists that it was only an intermediate statement and that there would, in all probability, be a final report on the discussions.—(Reuter.)

President Roosevelt made no appointments whatever yesterday, and is devoting his whole time to considering high strategy with Mr. Churchill. This was disclosed by the White House yesterday. With the headlines proclaiming the fall of Tobruk, the serious situation at Sebastopol, and the Japanese foothold in the Aleutians, the eyes of the United Nations are focussed on the two leaders. The military authorities have given warning that no revelation should be expected until the decisions materialise on the battlefront.

Mr. Early referred to the suggestion that Lieut.-General MacNaughton would lead the invasion of the Continent as "highly speculative, without any actual foundation." The swift capture of Tobruk is held by some to have suddenly overshadowed the question of the second front in Europe, and there is speculation as to whether the problem of holding Egypt at all costs will transcend all other matters. It is clear that the German drive towards oil through the Middle East and the wedge in the defences of Sebastopol constitute a dangerous threat, which must figure prominently in the minds of Mr. Churchill and the President during their talks.

Mr. Early had nothing to add on specific details of the conferences as to whether the President and Mr. Churchill were concerned primarily with the question of opening a second front in Europe or with possible steps to prevent General Rommel further exploiting his success in Libya, says the Associated Press Washington Correspondent.

When informed that London newspapers were featuring Washington reports that Lieut.-General H. G. L. MacNaughton, Commander of the Canadian Corps Overseas, was favoured to command the forces used to open a second front, Mr. Early said: "I anticipated plenty of speculation, and, apparently, we are getting it."

#### A JEWISH ARMY

One hundred thousand young Jews in Palestine and the Middle East are "ready and eager" to be formed into a Jewish army under the Supreme Allied Command. An open letter addressed to Mr. Churchill at the White House by the Committee for a Jewish army in the Middle East, stressing Herr Hitler's drive for the Egypt-Suez-Palestine triangle, adds: "You, Mr. Prime Minister, recognise the danger perhaps more clearly than anyone else—that is why you have come to Washington."—(Reuter.)

## ALLIED "MIGHTY OFFENSIVE"

MR. HARRY HOPKINS, in New York last night, predicted a mighty United Nations' offensive against Germany with "a second, third and fourth front if necessary." He disclosed that the conferences between President Roosevelt and Mr. Churchill are taking place at the White House in Washington.

In a sweeping view of the entire war, Mr. Hopkins said: "What of our 3,000,000 trained ground troops, with modern mechanised equipment? General Marshall, the great leader of our Army, is not training these men to play tiddlywinks. A second front? Yes—and if necessary a third and fourth front to pen the German Army in the ring of our offensive steel. Hitler's boastings are getting tamer and tamer, for he knows the Russian Army on his Eastern front and the British-American Army on other fronts—when and where he does not know—will bring his vaunted Panzer divisions to heel.

"His cities one by one will be destroyed by the Allied air forces. His ally, Italy, led by Mussolini, will collapse like an inflated mushroom under the first stress of violent attack. As the ring grows tighter and tighter around Herr Hitler's Army, the German people will then know how they have been betrayed."

#### BRITISH FIGHTERS

Recounting British successes "against almost unbelievable odds," Mr. Hopkins said he was getting tired of hearing people say that the British can't fight. "As our forces move nearer and nearer to the great battlefields, where the war is finally to be fought and won, I, for one, will be satisfied to see our own army fighting side by side with the stubborn, tenacious British soldiers, sailors and airmen. We owe Britain a great debt, which we intend to repay in full. Mr. Churchill has but one business here—to plan with the President and American and British advisers the offensive strategy of the war—and I can assure you that business is being accomplished."

He said that China could be sure of American aid. "Step by step, country by country—no matter how long it may take—the forces of the United Nations will strike their way back to the very gates of Japan. Every Japanese soldier will be swept out of China, Manchuria and Korea, and China will live again, a free country guiding its own destiny."

## M. LAVAL DESIRES GERMAN VICTORY

### FRANCE MUST WORK FOR IT

BROADCASTING from Vichy last night, M. Laval said that a fearful moment was approaching—the moment when France's fate would be fixed for years to come. He desired to re-establish normal relations with Germany and Italy, for a new Europe would arise. He desired the victory of Germany, because without it Bolshevism would spread.

In an appeal to French workers to go and work in Germany, he said that largely upon them depended the future fate of the French prisoners.

"The Government," he said, "will not stop short of any measure necessary for the life and nourishment of the population One loves one's country because one loves one's village. For my part I am hopeful that to-morrow we can love a Europe in which France will have a place worthy of her. To build this Europe Germany is waging gigantic battles.

#### "FEARFUL MOMENT"

"By an immense effort and perseverance, the Government will do all in its power to alleviate your sufferings. We are living in difficult times. We shall have to suffer more privations. These times will last as long as the war lasts, and for some time after. But there is a moment more fearful and, for me, more anxious—the moment when the fate of France will be fixed for long years to come.

"We were wrong to start the war in 1939. We were wrong in 1918, at the moment of victory, not to organise a better understanding with Germany. We must try to do so to-day. We must exhaust all possibilities to find the basis of a final reconciliation. I, personally, cannot reconcile myself to seeing the youth of our country cut down on the battlefield every 25 or 30 years.

#### THE NEW EUROPE

"My presence in the Government has a meaning which can escape no one either in France or abroad. I desire to re-establish normal and confident relations with Germany and Italy. From this war a new Europe will inevitably arise. To build this Europe Germany is fighting gigantic battles. She must, with others, make immense sacrifices, and does not spare the blood of her youth. I desire the victory of Germany, because without it Bolshevism would to-morrow everywhere hold sway. Thus we are faced with this alternative—to include ourselves in a new and peaceful Europe, or else to resign ourselves to seeing our civilisation disappear.

"I can do nothing for you without you. No one could save a nation that is inert or stubborn. Only the support of the country can lead to a reasonable and fruitful policy. I know the effort some of you must make to agree with this policy. Our general outlook in the past little prepared us for this indispensable understanding. This policy of understanding with Germany could alone save France in the future.

#### FRENCH PRISONERS

"I know that my return to power gave rise to a great hope among the families of our prisoners and in the prison camps themselves. I could not expect mass liberation. It was possible, but since Germany has been at war with the Soviets the manpower of a great number of our prisoners has become indispensable. I have reason to think that Herr Hitler was ready to take generous measures.

"But then a painful incident occurred—a sensational escape—which resulted in the cancellation of privileges hitherto allowed to prisoners and the suspension of all releases. At the moment France lacks raw materials, our factories are slowing down, unemployment is becoming worse. Numerous workers are without work when Germany needs manpower very urgently. In this situation a new hope arises for our prisoners. An appeal to the common-sense and generosity of French workers is never made in vain. I appeal to them now, because largely upon them depends the future fate of our prisoners.

#### GERMAN SACRIFICES

"I have grave reasons for asking them to go and work in Germany. It concerns something more than our daily life.

"France cannot remain indifferent before the immensity of the sacrifices which Germany is making to rebuild a Europe in which we must take our place We shall have to negotiate peace one day. Workers of France, it is to you that our prisoners will owe their freedom. Chancellor Hitler has just decided upon the liberation of a large number of agriculturists, who will be allowed to return to France as soon as you arrive in Germany. You will go in large numbers — for our country. To enable France to find her place in the New Europe you will answer my appeal."

## CRITICAL SITUATION AT SEBASTOPOL

### REPORTED FIGHTING IN THE STREETS

**THE furious battles now raging along Sebastopol's 40-mile defence ring represent Marshal von Manstein's most ferocious effort to subdue the fortress, says the Press Association.**

**The pace of the present struggle must, in the very near future, determine whether Sebastopol shall fall, or whether the Axis forces must, for the third time, withdraw and then prepare another large-scale assault.**

**Various Axis sources yesterday declared that German and Rumanian troops had broken through the city's inner defences, and were engaged in bitter street battles.**

Latest official news of the fighting at Sebastopol was contained in a *Pravda* despatch from the front, which said: "Furious enemy attacks on Sunday in the northern and southern sectors were all beaten off. In the northern sector the Germans attempted to drive a wedge into our lines, supported by a large number of heavy tanks. They only partly succeeded in this and suffered heavy losses."

It is presumably this sector on the north shore of the Severnay Bay to which the Axis claim to have reached the suburbs refers. On this shore a number of isolated forts—subjected to fierce short-range artillery fire and ceaseless dive-bombing—still are holding out.

Berlin's latest official claim went no farther than to say that the region north of the bay had been cleared and that at various points of the front more forts and strongly defended heights had been overcome.

A Vichy report quoted a Stockholm despatch, which said that reinforcements landed by warships were "inadequate" against Marshal von Manstein's 20 divisions and numerous tanks.

A Bucharest message, received in Vichy last night, stated:—"The battle is now being waged in the streets of Sebastopol. The noise of artillery and machine-gun fire is more and more often dominated by the noise of formidable explosions, caused by the buildings which the Russians are blowing up before their departure. Evacuation is being harried by the Luftwaffe, which this morning sank three transports. Nevertheless, the German advance is being made cautiously, in view of the violent resistance of Soviet rear guards which are protecting the bulk of the garrison. The northern districts of the town are now a mass of smoking ruins." (Reuter.)

#### RUSSO-GERMAN LOSSES

Moscow Soviet Information Bureau states that in one year's fighting the Germans have lost ten million men killed, wounded or missing. Soviet losses are 4,500,000, it is stated.

The figure of German dead is given as not less than 3,500,000 men.

The Bureau gives the following figures of German and Soviet losses in war material during the year:—Guns — Germany, 30,500; Russia, 22,000. Tanks — Germany, 24,000; Russia, 15,000. 'Planes — Germany, 20,000; Russia, 9,000. 70 per cent. of the Red Army wounded have returned to the ranks, but only 40 per cent. of German wounded have returned to the German Army, it is added.—(Reuter.)

The German News Agency last night claimed that the German attack northeast of Kharkov had gained further ground, "despite extraordinarily difficult terrain. Under cover of darkness enemy patrol units tried to cross the Donetz, but the Soviets were pushed back after a brief exchange of fire," the Agency added.—(Reuter.)

Earlier Moscow reports, however, said that Marshal von Bock was on the defensive on some sectors, and was withdrawing from some inhabited localities, and that on other sectors German counter-attacks had been repulsed.

South-east of Leningrad, it was added, and on the Central Front—notably north-east of Smolensk and in the Orel and Bryansk areas, south and south-west of Moscow—strong Red Army pressure is being maintained.—(Reuter.)

## PARISHIONERS AND CLERGYMAN CASE

### SETTLEMENT IN COURT

A SETTLEMENT, providing for the payment of a sum that was not stated, was announced in the slander and assault action against the Rev. Felix Burke, Parish Priest, Bunninadden, Ballymote, which was opened before Mr. Justice Hanna and a jury, in the High Court, Dublin, last Thursday.

The action was brought by two of Father Burke's parishioners, Charles Egan and his brother, Francis, sawyers and coachbuilders, Coogh, Killavil, Ballymote, who alleged that at two Masses at Killavil Church on Sunday, November 3rd, 1940, Father Burke, denounced them from the altar as "pups," blackguards and ruffians, supposed to be Catholics and would not even make good Protestants, and should not be let inside the door of a Catholic church; and that on Sunday, August 3rd, 1941, he struck and kicked them while they were hearing Mass and assaulted Charles with a life preserver.

Father Burke denied both the alleged slander and the alleged assault, and pleaded that if he had used the words complained of and if there had been an assault it was in the discharge of his duty as parish priest and for the purpose of maintaining good order and discipline in the church, and that any assault was in self defence.

Announcing the settlement, Mr. Basil McGuckin, K.C., for the Egans, said that it provided for the payment by Father Burke to the Egans of an agreed sum in respect of both damages and costs, and the sum had been accepted by the Egans as representing an amount satisfactory to them.

"In announcing this settlement I would like to say," said Mr. McGuckin, "that this action has not been brought in any spirit of vindictiveness, and I know I express the sincere desire of the Egans in voicing the hope that, with the settlement of this action, regrettable and unhappy episodes may be forgotten, and that a spirit of harmony, good-will and peace may return and be restored to the Killavil branch of the Bunninadden parish."

Mr. Cecil Lavery, K.C., for Father Burke, said that all that he wished to say was that Father Burke had agreed to make a payment in order to settle a very unpleasant case, and he had done so before his evidence was given; but he desired it to be stated that it was expressly without any admission of the truth of the statements alleged, or of liability. It was, perhaps, better to say no more, except to concur in the hope that there would be no further trouble; that order and discipline would prevail in Killavil, and that nothing more would be heard of this unfortunate matter.

Mr. Justice Hanna said that he was glad that this unpleasant action had been settled, and that the parties had been able to come to some kind of reconciliation between them. It was quite right that Father Burke's evidence had not been heard, and that the proposal of the settlement, compromise or reconciliation put an end to what was a very unpleasant piece of litigation. He hoped that there would be no further trouble, and that the Egan brothers would be reinstated in the business, which certainly some years before was sufficiently prosperous for men in their position. He hoped that there would be good feeling on both sides, and no recrimination of any kind.

#### DUBLIN BATHS DEATH

It was an unusual kind of fatality, and the first of its kind in his experience, said the Coroner, Dr. MacErlean, at the inquest, in Dublin yesterday, on the Rev. Brother T. Donlon, member of a religious community in County Galway, who was doing a course of instruction at the Albert Agricultural College, Glasnevin, and who was drowned in Clontarf Baths on Sunday. A verdict of accidental death in accordance with medical evidence, was returned.

The Rev. Brother I. McDonnell said that Brother Donlon and he had both dived twice from the board, and then he (witness) went in from the wall surrounding the baths, and Brother Donlon followed. He heard a shout, and saw a man holding Brother Donlon by the hair, but Brother Donlon slipped from his hold. He had seen Brother Donlon after each dive, and he seemed all right.

Mr. C. O'Rourke, an instructor at the baths, said that he dived several times, but could not find the man. Martin Mooney (19), Stafford street, who was also swimming, said he saw Brother Donlon "paddling about with his hands," and, noting that he was not a good swimmer, went and caught him by the hair, but he slipped from his hands. Garda Superintendent O'Reilly said that the body was found in the centre of the baths, boat and grappling irons having been used. The water was not clear.

The medical evidence was that death was due to asphyxia following drowning. A *post-mortem* revealed a fracture of the skull.

Mr. Sean O hUadaigh, solicitor, asked if it was possible that the fracture could have been caused *post-mortem*, due to efforts to recover the body, and was answered that it could have.

The Coroner said that the only definite finding that could have caused death before drowning was the fracture of the skull, which must have occurred during the last dive. No blame was attached to the baths.

#### POPE TO SEE SENOR SUNER

The Pope, now convalescing after his recent illness, is to receive Señor Serrando Suner, Spanish Foreign Minister, to-day, says a Vatican City dispatch last night. In view of the Pope's health, the audience will be shorn of the usual ceremonial.—(Reuter.)

## MOTOR VEHICLE RESTRICTIONS

### MANY BUSINESSES HIT

WHILE a month's grace is being given to owners of commercial vehicles, which will come under the permit system—the scheme, arranged for July 1st, will not come into force until August 1st—further drastic restrictions on commercial motor vehicles are foreshadowed.

Except in exceptional circumstances, the use of motor vans and small lorries in the following businesses probably will be discontinued altogether:—Retail grocery deliveries, caterers, ice-cream vendors, victuallers; retail deliveries, hotels, drapers; retail deliveries, salesmen, commercial travellers, agents, pig and cattle dealers travelling from fair to fair, electricians, painting contractors, plumbers, decorators, ironmongers, retail hardware, travelling shops, hawkers, touring cinemas, battery and radio services, motor and cycle factors, motor upholstery, weights and measures, machines and machine distributors, scale and weighing machines suppliers, dairy machine suppliers, equipment suppliers, piano repairers, electrical contractors, furniture removers, glass and cork importers, roof and gutter repairers, undertakers, coffin manufacturers, nurseries, skin collectors, and film distributors.

#### FOOD TRANSPORT

Vehicles dealing with wholesale trades and all other lorries will, of course, come under the permit system on August 1st, and will be required to show that they are an essential service before petrol allocations will be made. As far as possible, transport for food will be granted the necessary petrol, and where retail interests come together and pool their transport requirements, consideration will be given by the Department of Supplies to any practicable scheme. Should, for instance, a dozen business houses decide to plan their deliveries, so that one or two vehicles would cover all requirements, there is a likelihood that, for the time being, an allowance of petrol would be made.

Inevitably a scheme of transport rationalisation, creating zones of traffic and providing for two-way loads, will be required to meet the situation.

It was announced some time afo that basic allowances for vans and lorries up to 30 cwt. (unladen) would be suspended as fro Ju' 1st, and that the permit system would be applied to all commercial goods vehicles.

From the volume of correspondence reaching the Department of Supplies, however, it is evident that numerous readjustments will be necessary by the various interests affected to meet the new situation, and the Minister for Supplies has decided that they should be given further time for consideration of the difficulties arising, so that undue hardship may not result from the operation of the scheme. It has been decided, therefore, to continue the basic allowance for all commercial goods vehicles in Jul-, and to postpone the introduction of the new scheme until August. Meanwhile the trading public will have an opportunity of discussing their difficulties with the Department, and, in this connection, arrangements for the pooling of deliveries which traders may themselves propose will receive favourable consideration, provided a substantial saving in petrol results therefrom. It can be definitely assumed, however, that the operation of the scheme will not be postponed beyond August, and that traders who fail to take advantage of the opportunity now given to make suitable adjustments in their trading methods may then find themselves in difficulties.

Following the recent reduction in the supplies of petrol coming into the country, the restrictions on traffic, including the removal of private cars from the road, were necessary to bring the total issues of petrol within the quota available, but, notwithstanding the drastic steps taken, the quantity still being given out exceeds the quota of imports, and further reductions will have to be made. The reservoir from which reductions can be made is limited, except from the considerable number of small vans and lorries used for non-essential purposes, and, while they may have to go, all classes of users will be called upon for further economies.

## EMERGENCY ORDERS

### PENALTIES FOR BREACHES

An official statement last night said:—

"The Government to-day made an Order under the Emergency Powers Act, 1939, enabling a judge of the Circuit Court, on the application, made before judgment is delivered, of any party to any proceedings pending before him under Section 5 of the Emergency Powers Act, 1939 (which relates to prosecutions for offences under the Act) to refer any question of law arising in such proceedings to the Supreme Court by way of case stated for the determination of the Supreme Court."

Section 5 of the Emergency Powers Act, 1939, referred to in the official statement, relates to offences under the Act and the punishments attaching to them. It sets out that contravention of an emergency Order constitutes an offence, as does also any aiding or abetting of a person in such contravention. Punishments on summary conviction for such offences render the person concerned liable to a fine of £100, or, in the case of a continuing offence, a further fine of £20 per day, or, at the discretion of the Court, to imprisonment for six months, or to both fine and imprisonment.

## PREPARING FOR NEW ATTACK

### AXIS FORCES MOVE ON SOLLUM

ENTRENCHED in the Sollum-Fort Capuzzo-Halfaya area and south along the frontier wire, Allied troops are ready to receive the first shock of the Axis attack, which cannot long be delayed after the fall of Tobruk, says Reuter.

General Rommel is sure to exploit to the full his present numerical superiority in armour, men and guns, and there are already signs that his forces are moving into position for the assault. Racing up from Bardia, his panzers have been skirmishing with Allied mobile forces round Sidi Azeiz, ten miles from the frontier. There is no doubt that General Ritchie will make a great attempt to hold off the German advance here—but the tragic fall of Tobruk has brought Egypt's danger closer.

#### LIKE RIPE FRUIT

BERLIN, Monday. — "After a furious dive-bombing attack which shook the earth for hundreds of yards, infantry storm columns and sappers at 5.20 a.m. on June 20 launched their assault on the outer field fortifications to Tobruk," said the German News Agency to-night. "Tobruk fell like the ripe fruit of Rommel's previous 'cauldron' attacks, by which he managed in 3½ weeks of fighting to engage isolated parts of the enemy forces and defeat them, thus gradually weakening their fighting power.

"Rommel's decisive master stroke was to bring forward his troops from the east during twilight, instal them in their new positions without giving them an hour's rest, and send them in to attack Tobruk early next morning."

"Dive-bombers and fighter-bombers on Sunday attacked British lorry columns in North Africa fleeing towards Egypt," says German radio. "Nineteen patrol tanks and 85 fully-laden lorries were destroyed. Among prisoners taken at Tobruk are five Generals, including a newly-arrived South African General."

#### ROMMEL PROMOTED

BERLIN, Monday.—Herr Hitler has promoted General Rommel to Field-Marshal.

Field-Marshal Rommel, in a speech broadcast by all German radio stations from Tobruk to-night, said: "Almost four weeks of hard fighting are behind us. It was a remarkable success. Our soldiers have done superhuman work. They have cleared minefields; they have held out despite terrible privations. The Tank Army greets Germany."

Military music followed Marshal Rommel's statement included in a recorded programme of the Tobruk attack.—(Reuter.)

#### R.A.F. ATTACKS

LONDON, Monday.—The R.A.F. Middle-East communiqué to-day states: "During Sunday, June 21, our fighter aircraft carried out numerous patrols over the Libyan area. Fighter bombers and Boston bombers of the South African Air Force successfully attacked large numbers of enemy transport vehicles on Sidi Azeiz landing ground. Our bombers raided the landing ground at Tmimi during Saturday night, starting a number of fires and explosions. Other bombers attacked enemy concentrations south-east of Tobruk on the same night. On Sunday night heavy bombers directed their attack against landing grounds at Gazala, causing a number of explosions. Torpedo-carrying aircraft, escorted by fighters, attacked an enemy convoy in the Mediterranean, south of Cape Bon. Two large merchant vessels were hit, one being left on fire. An escort vessel was also hit. Two Junkers 88 and one SM 79 were shot down into the sea. Small numbers of enemy bombers attacked the Egyptian coast near Sidi Barrani during the nights of Saturday and Sunday. Only slight damage was caused."—(Reuter.)

#### INQUIRY SOUGHT

The British Secretary for Air is to be asked in Parliament by Mr. J. Henderson Stewart (L. Nat., Fife E.): "Who is responsible for the statements—said to be officially inspired—issued last week, to the effect that the Imperial Air Forces in Libya had retained superiority over the enemy throughout the recent campaign, that the greatest concentration of enemy dive bombers never exceeded 30, and that the R.A.F. were now using a new anti-tank aircraft." Sir Archibald Sinclair will be asked to "institute an immediate inquiry into the facts and report the results to Parliament, with the least delay."—(Press Association.)

#### TANKS ATTACK SHIPS

CAIRO, Monday — Once having smashed through Tobruk's perimeter defences, General Rommel's tanks made straight for the harbour, where they attacked British minesweepers, trawlers, tank-carrying barges, and smaller craft with fire from their cannons. They brought up heavy guns to add to the barrage. Some of the ships returned their fire and a battle raged between the cannons from the tanks on one side and the ships on the other. The Germans had the advantage since, so far as it is known, there were no heavy vessels in the port. Some ships got away, taking off 200 naval ratings, but first reports indicated that few, if any, of the army personnel at Tobruk were evacuated.—(Associated Press.)

LONDON, Monday. — Reuter's Special Correspondent at 8th Army Headquarters cables to-night: "Small pockets of South African, British and Indian troops were resisting fiercely at Tobruk up to a late hour yesterday."

#### CLOTHES RATIONING ORDER

There was a further conference yesterday between the delegates of the Drapers' Chamber of Trade and Government officials concerning the suggested modification of the Clothes Rationing Order. No statement was issued.

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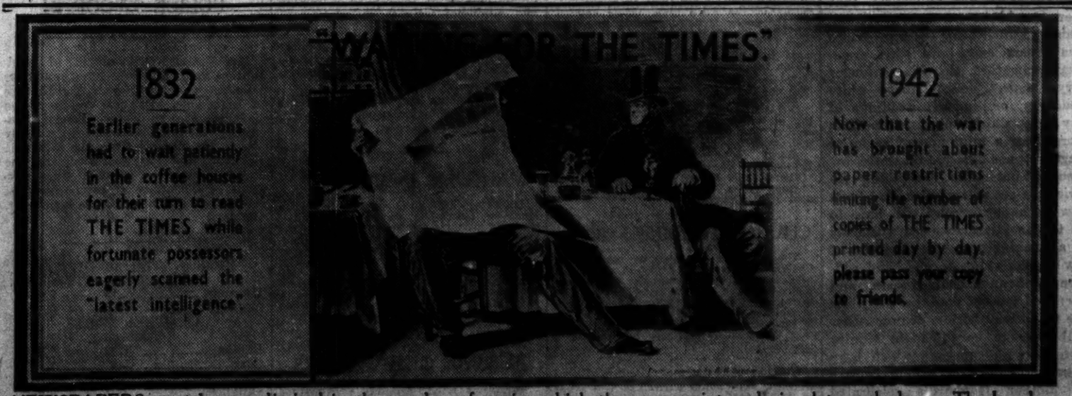


NEWSPAPERS nowadays are limited in the number of copies which they may print and circulate each day. The London "Times", currently is using the above reproduction of a painting by R. B. Haydon to remind its readers of the importance and urgency of conserving newsprint. In Ireland, where the position is no less difficult, the "Irish Times," established at the beginning of the last century—and first published in its present series and form in 1859—desires, in a similar manner, to remind readers that until newsprint supplies become available it will not be possible to supply a demand which has been increasing, rather than diminishing, in recent years. If you can do so, share your copy each morning with a friend. At any rate, pass it on when you have finished with it.



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"ŒDIPUS, THE TYRANT."
By Sophocles.
Translated by the Earl of Longford.

**METROPOLE** To-day at 2 o'c., 4.20, 6.40, 9 o'c.
CHARLES BOYER
In
"CARAVAN."

**GRAFTON** Now on 2nd Week. 2.25, 4.35, 6.40, 8.50.
Robert Montgomery in
"HERE COMES MR. JORDAN."
Claude Rains—Ed. Everett Horton.

**THEATRE DE LUXE**
DUBLIN'S SUPER CINEMA, 3-10.30 p.m.
Shirley Ross and William Lundigan.
"SAILORS ON LEAVE."
Gene Autry in "Sunset in Wyoming."

**ASTORIA** DUN LAOGHAIRE. Cont. from 3.15 p.m.
JOAN WOODBURY, JACK LA RUE in
"PAPER BULLETS."
Also Johnny Downs, Eric Blore, June Lang in "REDHEAD."

GREEN—4.0, 6.45, 9.20—Melvin Douglas, Virginia Bruce, "What A Woman." Also John Litel, "Men Without Souls," and Ep. 2, "Menace of the Seas."

**ROYAL** Show at 4.20, 8 o'c.
A Madhouse of Mirth and Merriment.
Victor McLaglen, Edmund Lowe, Binnie Barnes,
"CALL OUT THE MARINES."
At 2 o'c., 5.40, 9.20.
10th Ed. "IT'S IN THE BAG."
Breath-taking Added Attraction,
Frank Buck's "JUNGLE CAVALCADE."
At 3.5., 6.45.
*DEFENCE SERVICE ENTERTAINMENT. TO-NIGHT THE MARITIME INSTITUTE IS ENTERTAINING THE MARITIME INSCRIPTION.*

**REGAL** ROOMS At 2.5, 4.20, CINEMA. 6.30, 8.45.
1942's Most Unusual Film!
WALTER HUSTON, JANE DARWELL, EDWARD ARNOLD,
"ALL THAT MONEY CAN BUY."

**SAVOY** At 2.0, 4.10, 6.20, 8.30.
MICKEY ROONEY, JUDY GARLAND in "BABES on BROADWAY,"
Friday: "How Green Was My Valley."

**ASTOR.**
Clifford Evans, Deborah Kerr in
"PENN OF PENNSYLVANIA."
At 2.30, 4.40 6.50, 9.5.
"This is the best type of historical film which can be unreservedly recommended."
—*Irish Press.*

**CAPITOL** TO-DAY AT 2.24, 4.34, 6.44, 8.54.
Margaret Lockwood, Michael Redgrave, in
"THE LADY VANISHES."
Friday Next—"Night in New Orleans."
DINE in the HALL CAFE or OAK LOUNGE.

**CARLTON** To-day at 2.30, 4.40, 6.50 & 9 o'c.
THOUSANDS THRILLED as never before!
Betty Grable—Victor Mature—Carole Landis, and Laird Cregar in
"HOT SPOT."

**ADELPHI** At 2, 4.17, 6.34, 8.51.
ROBERT TAYLOR LANA TURNER
in "JOHNNY EAGER."

**PAVILION** DUN LAOGHAIRE At 4.0, 6.30, 9.0 p.m.
GENE TIERNEY, RANDOLPH SCOTT, in "BELLE STARR."
In Technicolor.

**REGENT** CINEMA, BLACKROCK.
ERROL FLYNN, MIRIAM HOPKINS
In
"VIRGINIA CITY."

**CORINTHIAN.**
Ray Middleton "MERCY ISLAND."
2.25, 4.45, 7.5, 9.25.
Roy Rogers, "Sheriff of Tombstone."
3.38, 5.58, 8.18.

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## 'GREATEST BLUNDER'
### JINNAH WARNS BRITAIN

A warning to the British Government that they would be "making the greatest blunder if they surrendered to Congress in any manner detrimental to Muslim interests," was given by Mr. Jinnah, President of the Muslim League, to-day, a Reuter telegram from Bombay stated last night.

"I am told," he said, "that there is going to be a big move. This threat of intimidation is intended to coerce a distressed and shaken Britain to accede to Mr. Gandhi's demands. We do not know what this big move is going to be. Nothing is going to move us from our purpose, our achievement of our goal of Pakistan. I am glad that at least Mr. Gandhi has openly declared that unity and a Hindu-Muslim settlement can come only after the achievement of Indian independence, and has thereby thrown away the cloak he has worn for the last twenty-two years."

Commenting of Mr. Gandhi's demand to Britain to "quit India," Mr. Jinnah said: "He does not mean to achieve Indian independence. He and Mr. Jawaharlal Nehru are both indulging in slogans and catchwords."

## OBITUARY
### CANON GREANEY, P.P.

The death occurred at Bundoran on Sunday morning of the Very Rev. Canon William J. Greaney, P.P., of Skreen, County Sligo, whence he had gone to spend a short holiday in Bundoran, with his friend, the Very Rev. Fr. Collins, P.P., Cloroe, County Tyrone. Canon Greaney was ordained at the Irish College, Paris, in 1904, and was Curate, and later Administrator, of Ballina for 18 years, until his appointment in 1930 as Parish Priest of Skreen. He was raised to the Canonical Chapter in 1926. He was President of the Past Students' Union of the Irish College, Paris, and was a member of County Sligo Vocational Education Committee and the Old Age Pensions Committee. He was born at Dromahair, County Leitrim, 62 years ago.

## RETIRING G.S.R. OFFICIAL

Mr. Robert Reade has received a presentation by members of the staff of the Traffic Manager's Office, Great Southern Railways, Kingsbridge, on the occasion of his retirement from the position of commercial assistant to the traffic manager after a long service with the old Midland Great Western and Great Southern Railways companies. The event took place at the Clarence Hotel, and those present joined in wishing Mr. Reade many long and happy days in his retirement, as well as in speaking of the esteem in which he was held by the staff at Kingsbridge.

## MINISTER'S CHARGES DENIED

Describing Mr. MacEntee, the Minister, as a menace to local government, Mr. T. Quill, at South Cork Board of Public Assistance, yesterday said it was appalling that any Minister should talk with so much ignorance of the facts. The Board was discussing a report which they unanimously adopted, in the course of which the Minister's recent allegations in the Dail against Cork public bodies were refuted. The Board decided to call for a public inquiry into the whole matter.

## THE MORAL FRONT

ASHEVILLE (NORTH CAROLINA), Monday.—M. London, Netherlands Minister in Washington, told a conference of State Governors to-day that behind the military front loomed another front infinitely stronger—the moral front. "As long as that front holds the war is not lost." So far the enemy was doing everything in his power to make a breach in it, but had utterly failed up to now. "The unity of the moral front is the main prerequisite for victory."—(Reuter.)

## FATHER MARTINDALE ILL

Reports reaching London of the condition of Father C. C. Martindale, who is in hospital at Copenhagen, are arousing anxiety. A letter from him received by Father L. Geddes, Superior at Farm Street Church, London, W., stated that Father Martindale is still suffering from heart trouble, and it was learned that he received the Last Sacraments after an attack of *angina pectoris*.

## IRISH WILLS

Alfred Edward Darley, 10 Grafton street, and formerly of the Brewery, Ardee street, Deputy Lieutenant—£14,917.

William George Wakely, "Elmhurst," Temple Gardens, Rathmines, Secretary of the Incorporated Law Society—£13,176.

George Browning, company secretary, 17 St. Mary's road, Ballsbridge—£9,798.

Mr. William Sullivan Hosford, of North Main street, Bandon, Co. Cork—£5,353.

Miss Edith Margaret George Kidd, daughter of the late Dr. George Hugh Kidd, M.D., of 58 Merrion square, Dublin—£6,316.

Miss Mary Jane Shillington, daughter of the late James Shillington, of Belfast—£560.

Mrs. Ethel Linda Frances Luff-Gillespie, late of Malahide, Co. Dublin—£7,290.

THE SUN.

| | To-day. | To-morrow. |
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| Rises | 4.57 | 4.57 |
| Sets | 9.58 | 9.58 |
| Lighting-up Time | 10.58 | 10.58 |


# Irish Times

TUESDAY, JUNE 23, 1942.


## "Collaboration"

Monsieur Pierre Laval hardly can be described as a popular leader in any sense of the term; but he certainly seems to have the courage of his convictions. Evidently, he has decided that Germany will win the war in the long run, and that, in order to save herself from complete and permanent destruction, France must do everything in her power, within reasonable limits, to further the German cause. In a broadcast speech last evening the French Premier stated his policy with refreshing candour. He declared that the people of France were suffering economic hardships, and must be prepared to make even greater sacrifices in the future. Monsieur Laval referred to the difficulties of transport and supply in the unoccupied territory, the consequent plight of big centres of population, and the shortcomings of the French system of administrative organisation. On the general issue Monsieur Laval reaffirmed the policy which he formulated when he came into office. France at the moment, he said, was passing through difficult times; but, from his point of view, a more fearful and more anxious moment would arrive when the fate of the French people should be fixed "for long years to come." Germany was "waging terrific battles" in order to create a new Europe in which it was essential that France should find a worthy place. France had been wrong in 1918 when her leaders refused to reach a proper understanding with Germany. She had been wrong in 1939 "to start the war." The chance now had occurred to repair former errors of policy and to bring about a final reconciliation with Germany; and his presence at the head of the French Government had a meaning that has escaped nobody either in France or abroad. "I desire," declared Monsieur Laval, "to establish normal and confident relations with Germany and Italy. I also desire a German victory; otherwise Bolshevism will rule in Europe." The French leader spoke throughout his broadcast as if Germany's sole opponent were Soviet Russia. He made no mention of Great Britain, the United States, or of any of the other nations with whom the Third Reich finds itself at war to-day.

Up to this point Monsieur Laval said nothing that he had not said on former occasions, confining his remarks to generalities regarding the need for a German victory and for a more realistic policy on the part of the French people. Towards the end, however, he made a particular announcement which, apparently, was the main purpose of his speech. Since the defeat of France one of the principal concerns of the unhappy French people has been the fact that almost 1,500,000 young Frenchmen are prisoners of war in Germany. Marshal Pétain always has insisted that the alleviation of their lot, and, if possible, the securing of their release, were a major part of his "collaboration" policy; and Monsieur Laval said yesterday that his return to power had raised new hopes in the hearts of the prisoners and their relatives. The "sensational" escape of General Giraud, however, had prevented anything in the nature of mass liberation. It also had put an end to certain privileges that had been granted by the German authorities to their captives; but an opportunity now had arisen not only to help the prisoners, but even to secure the release of substantial numbers. Germany, said Monsieur Laval, lacked man-power in her fight against the Soviets. French industry was in a bad way, and there was widespread unemployment in the country. Herr Hitler, who was inclined to act generously in the matter, had promised to release a large number of French agricultural labourers for employment at home, on condition that an equivalent number of French industrial workers should go to Germany, thereby releasing German workers for military service. On the face of it, Monsieur Laval's proposal must be attractive to many French people whose sons and husbands are in German prison camps. The Premier urged his listeners to respond to his appeal, and it is quite possible that the lure of reasonably good wages will be very strong. The plan is a logical development of the French Government's policy of general collaboration with the Germans. Its acceptance would give France the agricultural workers whom she needs so urgently, and enable Herr Hitler to swell the army of his reserves in the field. Of course, expediency is not the only consideration that will influence French minds in the matter. To what extent it will be decisive remains to be seen.

## Mariage a la Mode

Marriage, not an easy matter at the best of times, is complicated a hundredfold by the "emergency" conditions under which the Irish people at present are living. Some weeks ago it was announced that there would be no more "white" weddings until after the war. While this report may have been somewhat premature, there is no longer very much doubt that white weddings, or, indeed, weddings of any hue which might necessitate more than a minimum of sartorial elegance, are likely to become extremely unpopular. Clothing restrictions are so stringent that from now on happy couples will have to go to the altar costumed variously in a combination of new articles of low coupon value, second-hand oddments of questionable taste, and borrowed ones of doubtful fit, while the traditional bottom drawer either will have to be filled, in similar fashion, with garments which have seen better days, or remain as bare as Mother Hubbard's celebrated closet. Even if the business of dressing to meet the occasion could be waived for the duration, the troubles of the prospective bride and bridegroom are by no means at an end. There is the important matter of the honeymoon. When the war broke out the bride and bridegroom changed their visit to the South of France for a motoring trip to the South of Ireland; nowadays, when motoring has become a thing of the past, and even the less glamorous modes of transport have become most untrustworthy, those who are determined to spend their honeymoon in the remote parts of the West and South must allow several days out of their allotted span for travelling, and they must be prepared to spend half of that time walking beside the train, and the other half of it behind, assisting the struggling locomotive up the more difficult gradients. When the honeymoon draws to a close and the "happy couple" return to their newly-acquired suburban villa, the blushing bride, who wishes to show her husband how well she can cook, is faced with a choice of two alternatives—she can do her cooking without gas, or without electricity; for neither the Gas Company nor the Electricity Supply Board is anxious to circulate new cookers which will deplete still further the dwindling supplies of gas and electricity. In spite of all obstacles, or perhaps on account of them, the marriage rate is rising.

THE Lord Mayor, Alderman P.S. Doyle, T.D., will speak to-day at a public A.R.P. meeting being held at Bective Rangers ground, Donnybrook.

Sir Paul Dukes has arrived in Dublin from Belfast.

Lieutenant-Colonel and the Hon. Mrs. Onslow, who spent the week-end in Dublin, have left Ireland.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. Hosie have returned to Closeburn, Athy, from Dublin.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Stopford have arrived in Dublin from Kilkenny.

Mrs. Murray Guthrie has returned to Glasslough, Co. Monaghan, from Dublin for a few days before leaving for Oban.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Briscoe are at present in Dublin.

The Duchess of St. Albans, Viscountess Powerscourt, Lady O'Loghlen and Lady Moore will be amongst those selling raffle tickets this week at 51a Dawson street, in aid of the funds of District Nursing.

Dr. Gordon Wilson has returned to 14 Greenfield road, Mount Merrion, and 24 Westland row.

Dr. J. Murray Hayden has returned to 41 Fitzwilliam square.

Mr. Leonard Evans has returned to 35 Harcourt street.

Defence Services' Entertainments: To-night, the Maritime Institute is entertaining Dublin Members of the Maritime Inscription to a showing of the film: "Call Out the Marines," at the Theatre Royal at 7.30 p.m.

"Gor-ray," the world's most beautiful Skirt, is obtainable at Switzers, Grafton street. Man-tailored, with knife-edge streamline pleats that taper off to form a snug-fitting waist, it can be had in lovely colourings, and in various sizes and materials. Prices, 32/6, 37/6, 42/-, 49/6.

Sportswear that flatters—Slacks that lend a languid length to lovely limbs; slimming Skirts and sporty Shorts.—Jax Sportswear, from stores.

Leaders of Fashion in all Spectacle Wear.—Dixon and Hempenstall, Grafton street.

The new Suit-dress requiring no blouse, in pale beige woollen, with duck-egg facings, for 6½ gns., at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton St.

Slyne's Summer Dresses, three coupons only.—Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton St.

Fashionable low heel Shoes for town wear. See the latest displays at Stephens & Bourke.

Sharpley's, Specialists. Baby Linen, Nursery Accouchement Sets. Price List.—2 Nassau Street, Dublin.

## DUBLIN THEATRES

**THE GAIETY.** — The overwhelming majority of the audience last night, when "The Jocund Vine" entered on its second week, was made up of members of the fair sex, and one might hazard a safe bet that many were civil servants. These in particular seemed immensely tickled at the many sly rubs which the author, Mr. David Sears, indulges in at their expense. These and the side wipes at politicians created most of the laughter. The play moved with an easy swing, the dialogue flowing easily. Joan Plunkett as Acres 46 was the hit of the evening. Maureen Delaney was the focus of all eyes in her big drinking incident, but it is a pity she has not much more to occupy her. In a capable company all carry their rôles well.

**ROYAL.**—Norman Redmond and Ken O'Dea top the bill in the 10th Edition of "It's In The Bag" at the Theatre Royal this week. Popular on the stage as they are on the air, they contribute many pleasing modern and old-fashioned songs, and the applause marks them once more as Dublin favourites. Michael and Anne dance everything, from semi-adagio and fast tap to Irish and acrobatic. With a double team of comedians —Jimmy Harvey and Cecil Sheridan in topical wisecracks, and Noel Purcell, with Jimmy again, in a skit based on the current craze for stage coaches—there is plenty of that laughable humour for which the Royal, in wartime, has become famous.

What can one say of Eddie Byrne's well-known "quiz" session?—except that, whether the competitors win "double" or, unfortunately, "nothing," the audience gets plenty of laughs. The Violettes keep up their reputation for always providing something new in line numbers, and this week do a novelty which involves tap dancing on the seats of chairs. In "Everyman and His Music," Jimmy Campbell and the Band, with A. Gordon Spicer at the organ, lead Evelyn Fitzpatrick and Johnny Keyes through a medley of harmony, fast and entertaining, which just puts one in a good humour for the film of the week—"Call Out The Marines," with Victor McLaglen, Binnie Barnes, and Edmund Lowe.

**QUEEN'S.**—There are new sketches and gags in "Summer Breezes" No. 3, and Jack Harrington, who was a popular comedian in the Queen's Theatre some years ago, is appearing with Jim Jonson in the principal comedy parts. These are very funny and kept the audience continuously laughing last night. Supporting artistes are Vernon Hayden, Bill Brady, Dave Lennon and Josie Day. Patty Ryan was pleasing in her singing with the Queen's Moonbeams in "Hawaii Calls," and in the opening scene; and Elsie Hobbs, a clever ballet dancer, was outstanding in an elaborate Russian scene, with Dolly Sparkes, and in "Ravel's Rolero." Eileen Whelan and Billy Gordon, yodeller and guitarist, were also entertaining. Jack Maguire, guest conductor, and the band were a valuable contribution. The picture was "Look Who's Laughing."

**OLYMPIA.**—"White Cargo" is retained for a second week.

## JOIN THE A.R.P.

Mr. Sean Moylan (Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Defence), addressing members of the various Defence Forces in Ringsend Park last night, in a recruiting campaign, said: "For three years the only enemy of the A.R.P. was public opinion, but the public is now beginning to realise the vital importance of these defence services." Tremendous quantities of equipment have been received and distributed during the last year, and every able citizen is asked to join in one of the Services and help to use this equipment.

Mr. Laurie (Chief Area Warden) said: "This week we make a special appeal to the public to give their co-operation and services." He congratulated the officers on their work.

Among those present were: Alderman Benson, Dr. Kerry Reddin, M. S. Kinnane (District Chief Officer of the Area), C. W. Chesson (Area Warden), Chief Superintendent T. F. Casserly.

## CHURCH PREMISES SOLD

The extensive premises of the Baptist Church, Harcourt street, Dublin, have now been sold. They have a large frontage to Harcourt street, and run right back with an entrance from Charlotte street. The auctioneers who negotiated the sale are Messrs. Hamilton and Hamilton, who think that the premises will now be used for a concert hall.

Colonel Beretta and Captain Pablo Peluffo, who made a tour of the West of Ireland last week, accompanied by the Chilean Consul, Señor Eduardo Hunter, returned to England yesterday. Mr. Victor Riofeco, who was also in the party, is staying in Dublin at present as the guest of Señor Hunter.

## WHOLESOME FOOD FOR ALL

THE Department of Local Government and Public Health advises people what to eat—in a booklet just published by the Stationery Office.

The book, which is entitled: "A Simple Guide to Wholesome Diet," explains the various food values, and gives a specimen daily ration, which should contain, at least, one article from the following food groups:

(1) Protein foods, such as milk, cheese, meat, bacon, fish, eggs, beans, peas;

(2) Starch foods such as cereals and potatoes, which also contain sugar;

(3) Animal fats, including butter, cheese and fat meat;

(4) Foods containing mineral salts and vitamins, such as liver, fruits, fresh vegetables, salads, and dairy produce.

The diet of tea, bread and factory-made jam, supplemented by potatoes, so prevalent in this country, is condemned, unless it is accompanied by green or other vegetables, and some of the jam is replaced by cheese and more milk. The value of fresh vegetables, particularly, is stressed, and the cultivation of allotments by people of limited means is encouraged as a way of supplementing a faulty diet.

Pure water, while having no nutritive value, is essential to health; for the body requires a certain fluid intake, and water should be taken freely.

The value of bread and porridge is stressed, wholemeal brown bread being more valuable than white; oatmeal porridge and milk supply many of important constituents upon which a good diet depends.

The food value of the potato is given prominence; for it is energy-producing and contains vitamins B and C. It may form a partial substitute in case of cereal shortage, and as a substitute for some of the bread in daily diet it helps to increase the supply of lime to the body.

The method of cooking potatoes is important, the best way being to steam them in their jackets.

## CHINESE OFFENSIVE
### JAPANESE RETREATING

CHUNGKING, Monday—The Chinese counter-offensive in Kiangsi Province is making headway, the Chinese War Minister announced to-night. Chinese vanguards, he said, have driven the Japanese back to the outskirts of Shangyo, 30 miles from the Chekiang frontier. Chiang Kai-shek struck just as Japan's two-way offensive westward from Chuhsien and eastward from Manchang appeared to be slackening.

Foochow, capital of Fukien Province, was bombed by the Japanese on Saturday. Three planes dropped bombs in the heart of the city, demolishing scores of houses. Casualties were light —(Reuter.)

The Japanese have been forced to abandon their positions north-east of Kinhwa, the Chekiang capital, says to-night's Chinese communiqué. Chinese columns are also attacking the Japanese at Lungyu, half-way between Kinhwa and Chuhsien and at Chuhsien itself. Repeated strong Japanese attacks on the Chinese positions in the hills near the junction of the Chekiang, Kiangsi and Fukien borders have been repulsed. In Kiangsi Province the Chinese are still engaging the Japanese near Kweiki, 90 miles east of Nanchang. At Nancheng, 80 miles south-east of Nanchang, the Chinese are storming the city wall. On the Honan Shansi border heavy fighting is raging at the foot of the Tai-hau Mountains. The defenders held their positions despite four Japanese attempts to storm the passes.—(Reuter.)

## HOME ASSISTANCE
### EFFECT OF NEW ORDER

The Commissioner for County Dublin has been informed by the Minister for Local Government and Public Health that the provisions of the recent Emergency Powers (No. 174) Order, 1942, are designed to ensure that no person will continue to receive unemployment assistance from public funds who can be usefully employed in agriculture or on turf production, and that if any persons who have refused such employment seek home assistance there is, in the opinion of the Minister, no obligation on the Public Assistance authority to afford them assistance from funds raised for the relief of persons who are destitute and unable to support themselves by their own exertions.

Farmers in the Balrothery and Rathdown areas who experience difficulty in securing suitable labour are recommended by the Commissioner to communicate their requirements to the Supervisor of Home Assistance at 5 Parnell square, or to the local Home Assistance officers. There are able-bodied unemployed in receipt of home assistance in all districts of the Balrothery and Rathdown areas.

## ALLIES' SHIP LOSSES
### 237 SUNK OR DAMAGED

Two hundred and thirty-seven United Nations' vessels, says Reuter in a telegram from Washington, had been sunk, damaged or attacked in the Atlantic, Pacific, Caribbean, the Gulf of Mexico, and elsewhere, up to Sunday, since the entry of America into the war. Nine ships attacked in the Pacific, and announced by the Navy Department, up to Sunday are included.

Britain comes third on the list, with 22 ships, following America's 137 and Norway's 28.

Senator Hill (Alabama) yesterday called for the construction of a fleet of submarines capable of carrying supplies to the Allies.

German Radio claimed that in the 24 hours ending 3 p.m. yesterday 13 Allied war and merchant ships had been sunk—11 of them off Tobruk and two in the Atlantic and Gulf of Mexico, says Associated Press.

## TO-DAY IN THE DAIL

When the debate on Mr. Hugo Flinn's estimate for employment schemes is concluded in the Dail to-day, the House will take up the motion sponsored by Deputies James Hughes, George Bennett and Sean McEoin concerning pig production.

This motion asks the Dail to say that, in order to stem the decline in pig production and encourage increased production, more adequate prices should be fixed and guaranteed to operate for a considerable period, with less drastic regulations with regard to maximum and minimum weights in relation to prices.

If time is available, it is possible that the Government bill to postpone the local elections may be taken on second reading.

The estimates for the Departments of Supplies and Industry and Commerce may be taken to-morrow.

## MARITIME INSCRIPTION

Dublin will have an opportunity to see the Maritime Inscription on parade to-night, when its members will be entertained at the Theatre Royal by the Maritime Institute. The parade will leave the Customs House at 7 p.m., and marching by Eden quay, O'Connell Bridge, Westmoreland street and Pearse street, will arrive at the Theatre Royal at 7.30. It will be led by the No. 1 Army Band. The film has the appropriate title of "Call Out the Marines."

## RUSSIAN GETS 5 YEARS

NEW YORK, Monday.—Anastase Vonsiatsky, leader of the "Russian National Fascist Party," to-day pleaded guilty to conspiracy to violate the U.S. Espionage Act, and was immediately sentenced to five years' imprisonment and fined £1,250.—(The Associated Press.)

## ON THE WIRELESS

Times given are Summer Time. Where Double Summer Time is in force add one hour.

### IRISH PROGRAMME

8.45-11.15 a.m. (approx.)—Relay from the Pro-Cathedral, Marlborough street, Dublin, of Solemn High Mass in celebration of the Episcopal Jubilee of His Holiness Pope Pius XII. The Archbishop of Dublin will pontificate. Cardinal MacRory will preside. 5.0 p.m.—To-day's Historical Picture. 5.5—"Music and How to Enjoy It." Talk with illustrations, by Lieut. M. A. Bowles. 5.40—Stock Exchange, Sports Results, Official Announcements. 6.45—News. 7.5—"The Acquarium Suite" (Mayer), played by Billy Mayerl (piano). 7.20—Curam an Naoidheanaigh," Sorcha Ni Ghnaoir agus Caingt. 7.35—Woodwind and Brass of Irish Radio Orchestra (guest conductor, Capt. J. M. Doyle). 8.15—"Photography as a Crime Detector." Talk by A. V. Henry. 8.30—"A Midsummer Night's Dream." Scenes and Songs presented by Elizabeth Young. 9.0—"Carmen" (Bizet): Acts III. and IV. 10.0—Nuacht. 10.10—News in English. 10.30—Kincora Ceilidhe Band.

### B.B.C. PROGRAMME

6.0—News. 6.15—"Bing Time." 6.30—Exercises. 6.50—Tune for To-day. 6.55—"Lift Up Your Hearts!" 7.0—News. 7.15—Kitchen Front. 7.20—Records. 8.0—Salon Orchestra. 8.35—"Banking Without Blarney." 8.50—Organ. 9.5—Schools. 9.15—Service. 9.30—Records. 9.45—Wise House-keeping. 10.0—Schools. 11.0—Schubert. 11.30—Entertainment. 12.0—News. 12.15—American Commentary. 12.30—Beethoven. 12.50—Schools. 2.0—Dance Orchestra. 2.30—Evensong. 3.0—Orchestra. 3.40—"The Hopke." 4.0—News in Welsh. 4.10—Welsh Children's Hour. 4.30—Children's Hour. 5.0—News. 5.30—Piano. 5.45—"Can I Help You?" 6.0—"Through the Mangle." 6.30—News in Norwegian. 6.45—Scots Day. 7.5—"The Weaver-Poet." 7.15—The Drains Trust. 8.0—News. 8.25—To-night's Talk. 8.40—String Quartet. 9.20—Evening Prayers. 9.35—"Almost in Confidence." 10.5—Madrigals and Ballets. 10.20—"A Battle at Sea." 10.35—Billy Cotton. 11.0—News.

### FORCES PROGRAMME

5.30—"Reveille!" 6.0—News. 6.15—"Bing Time." 6.30—Records. 7.0—News. 9.15—Welsh Light Programme. 9.30—"Jack Benny. 9.0—"Accent on Rhythm." 9.15—Welsh Light Programme. 9.30—Harry Fryer. 10.0—Billy Cotton. 10.45—King Pins of Comedy. 11.0—Schubert. 11.30—Factory Workers' Concert. 12.0—News. 12.15—Music of England. 12.35—Rand. 1.0—"Roses and Radishes." 1.20—Entr'acte Players. 1.40—Organ. 2.0—Dance Orchestra. 2.30—Music from Celtic Lands. 3.0—Band. 3.30—Negro Spirituals. 3.45—Doris Arnold. 4.30—Questions on Current. 4.45—John Hilton. 5.0—News. 5.30—Harry Roy. 6.0—Poetry for Everyman. 6. 6.15—"Make and Mend." 7.0—Record Time. 7.30—Orchestra. 8.0—News. 8.25—Fighting Spirit of Britain. 8.30—Village Concert. 9.15—Orchestra. 9.50—"Whispering Voices."

## DECREE FOR MR. BELTON

Stating that the defence had failed on every point, Judge Davitt gave a decree for £137 10s., for which Mr. Patrick Belton, T.D., Bellevue Park, Killiney, sued William McConnell, turf commission agent, Brookside, Cle[illegible] road, in the Dublin Circuit Court yesterday.

The suit was a sequel to a business transaction which took place last October in licensed premises owned by Mr. Belton in Donnycarney, when Mr. McConnell agreed to buy house property from Mr. Belton. That night he drew a cheque for £137 10s., but stopped it next morning when he inspected the premises—3, 4 and 5 Commons street—and "saw what condition they were in."

Mr. McConnell's defence was that the position had been misrepresented, and that when he drew the cheque, which was for one-fourth of the value of the property, he was, "as the plaintiff then well knew, so drunk that he was unable to comprehend the meaning or effect of the transaction."

Mr. Belton denied the misrepresentation, and said that no drink had been produced until the cheque was signed, when he produced a bottle of whiskey.

Judge Davitt described the case as an unsavoury one, and the allegations made against Mr. Belton as "beyond what is expected from business men." It was clear that Mr. McConnell had repented on his bargain. His action in stopping the cheque was absolutely inconsistent with the case he had made out.

## HOSPITAL SUNDAY

The following collections have been received towards the Dublin Hospital Sunday Fund:—

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Christ Church, Rathgar | 105 | 0 | 0 |
| Holy Trinity Church, Rathmines | 36 | 17 | 5 |
| Moravian Church | 18 | 3 | 9 |
| Harold's Cross Parish | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| Monkstown Parish | 16 | 14 | 5 |
| Rathmichael Church | 16 | 0 | 0 |
| The Presbyterian Church, Mountmellick | 14 | 3 | 1 |
| St. Kevin's Church | 10 | 10 | 0 |
| Dunboyne and Moyglare (Meath) | 9 | 17 | 5 |
| St. Brigid, Stillorgan | 9 | 11 | 0 |
| Maryborough and Dysart Enos. | 8 | 14 | 0 |
| Kingstown Methodist | 8 | 11 | 5 |
| Trinity College Chapel | 8 | 5 | 7 |
| Balbriggan and Balrothery | 6 | 14 | 7 |
| Mission Church, Townsend street | 6 | 14 | 0 |
| Moate, Mount Temple, and Moydrum (Meath Diocese). | 5 | 8 | 0 |
| Borris-in-Ossory | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Grean and Cahirconlish | 4 | 3 | 0 |
| Banagher and Clonhan | 3 | 19 | 1 |
| Killucan and Castlejordan | 3 | 11 | 9 |
| Mellifont | 3 | 5 | 0 |
| College of St. Columba | 2 | 15 | 0 |
| Bray Methodist | 1 | 15 | 9 |
| Ballinaclough and Templederry | 1 | 15 | 0 |
| Mullingar Presbyterian | 1 | 10 | 0 |
| Ballintemple and Athassel | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Mission to the Adult Deaf and Dumb | 0 | 10 | 0 |

## FARMERS MEET CARDINAL

A suggestion that an agricultural council, composed of practical and experienced farmers, should be set up, was made when a deputation from the Irish Farmers' Federation met Cardinal MacRory and the Most Rev. Dr. Morrisroe, Bishop of Achonry, at Maynooth College, yesterday.

Complaining that the farmers were the victims of social injustice, because agricultural prices were too low in comparison with the price of the commodities which farmers had to purchase, the deputation claimed a just price for all agricultural produce, based on the cost of production; complete derating of agricultural land and buildings, and the raising of the standard of living for the farmer and his labourers.

Cardinal MacRory expressed his own and Dr. Morrisroe's sympathy with their objectives.

## BELFAST LIBEL CLAIM

The case for the defence in the libel action by the Lord Mayor (Alderman Black) and nine other members of Belfast Corporation against the Northern Whig, Ltd., will be opened this week. Yesterday—the twelfth day of the hearing—Councillor Hugh Armstrong, last of the plaintiffs to be examined, gave evidence, in the course of which he said that he was in favour of Corporation affairs being investigated by independent persons, but objected to having "some of the accused directing operations."

## POLICE SWOOP IN CALCUTTA

Police carried out a number of simultaneous raids and searches throughout Calcutta yesterday under the Defence of India rule. Political bodies visited included the suspended Bengal Provincial Congress Committee, a body which has seceded from the All-India Congress, the Forward *Bloc*, and the Youth League. Searches were also made of the offices of two Nationalist newspapers and a number of residences. (Reuter.)

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

| | To-day. | To-morrow. |
|---|---|---|
| Morning | 7.15 | 8.21 |
| Evening | 7.58 | 9. 2 |

AT OTHER PORTS.

| | Morning. | Evening. |
|---|---|---|
| Ballina | 1.20 | 1.58 |
| Cork | — | 1. 6 |
| Cobh | — | 1. 3 |
| Drogheda | 7. 3 | 7.46 |
| Dundalk | 7. 0 | 7.43 |
| Galway | — | 1.15 |
| Kinsale | — | 12.49 |
| Limerick | 2. 7 | 2.45 |
| Sligo | 1.29 | 2. 8 |
| Waterford | 1.42 | 2. 4 |
| Westport | 1. 0 | 1.38 |

# LONDON LETTER

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
MONDAY NIGHT.

MR. R. S. HUDSON, the Minister of Agriculture, sounded a serious note of warning about milk supplies next winter at a demonstration this afternoon at the Agricultural Institute at Usk, Monmouthshire. Having referred to his demand for an increase in Britain's tillage acreage of half a million acres —mostly wheat—he declared that milk production remained first priority nationally. Consumption in May was over 86 million gallons, compared with the highest pre-war figure for the same month of 68 million gallons—a huge and gratifying expansion—but he hoped these results were not due to an increased tendency for spring calving and summer dairying. "I know it is the easier system," he said; "but, if the high summer figures arise from this tendency, then it might well mean that supplies next winter will be inadequate.

### "The Great Need"

"The great need is for milk in the winter. We know by experience that if we get sufficient in the winter the summer will look after itself. We know, too, that cows calving in the autumn and winter give at least fifty gallons more milk over the year than those calving in the spring. The prices paid to producers are heavily weighted in favour of winter milk. The need of the people in the hard times ahead will be for abundant supplies in the winter. The system of arable dairying such as we have now to envisage so as to meet the shortage of imported feeding-stuffs should make it easier for dairy farmers to turn more and more to the production of milk in the winter months."

### Motorists' Problems

With the withdrawal of the basic petrol ration only a matter of days, motorists are considering many problems. Those who have petrol coupons —which indicates that they are semi-essential—find that, under the present regulations, they are not able to replace worn-out tyres, although officially permitted a certain amount of petrol to run their cars. People with coupons are the most favoured. This indicates that their work is regarded as of national importance.

### Theatre Magnate

Mr. Prince Littler, who has taken over control of the great Stoll Theatre chain, sent shows of "The Maid of the Mountains" celibre to Dublin regularly in the years before the war. His Stoll interest adds twelve theatres and five cinemas to his considerable holdings. His brother, Emile, will be their director. Managing, directing and producing anything theatrical comes natural to the Littlers and their sister, Blanche, who is Mrs. George Robey. They started learning the business when in their 'teens at the Royal Court Theatre, Woolwich, where their parents are still the lessees. All three were managing theatres before they were twenty. Since then they have staged plays, pantomimes and musicals.

### Strange Rescue Work

London's most unusual rescue squad—three boatmen—are nearing the end of their job. They are the men who maintain a watch night and day, rowing quietly beneath the arches of Waterloo Bridge, acting as watermen lifeguards in case of emergency. From the moment Rennie's century-old bridge began to show signs of wear and tear the watch around the structure, and, when the magnificent new bridge, now completed, was begun some years ago, they were constantly in action, picking up the workmen who fell "overboard." Although the squad have picked up scores of men who have fallen into the river, they have never yet "lost" a man. Although the men are glad to be rescued, one would not think so by what they say afterwards. It is just like slipping on a banana in the street—everyone laughs except the victim.

### Hay Prices

Farmers in the South made a beginning with their haymaking a fortnight ago. The general impression is that meadow grass is not so forward as last year, which was exceptional. Maximum hay prices were announ

## BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

*Announcements in this Column (which in all cases must be authenticated) are charged at the rate of 1/- per line (minimum 3/-).*

### BIRTHS.

**BYRNE**—May 15, 1942, at the Harcourt Nursing Home, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Byrne, 56 Lansdowne Park, Ballsbridge, a son (Raymund).

**ROCHE**—June 15, 1942, at Wentworth Nursing Home, to Florence, wife of Thomas Roche, 58 The Rise, Mount Merrion, Dublin, a daughter.

**RYAN**—June 9, 1942, at New Hospital, Mullingar, to Vera (*née* Gillen), wife of D. A. Ryan, Hibernian Bank, Mullingar, a son.

**SPENCER**—June 19, 1942, to Grace, wife of G. Bayly Spencer, 10 Crosthwaite Park, South, Kingstown, a son.

### MARRIAGE.

**DAVISON and GARDNER**—June 20, 1942, at Antrim road Baptist Church, Belfast, by the Rev. T. R. Gardiner, M.A., the Rev. James R. Davison, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James R. Davison, of Tandragee, to Mary A. Gardner, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Gardner, Bruslee House, Ballyclare.

### SILVER WEDDINGS.

**FOGERTY and O'DONNELL**—June 23, 1917, at St. Mary's Chapel, Eldon street, Moorfields, London, E.C., by the Rev. R. Moore, Arthur Cecil Fogerty, son of the late Robert Fogerty, C.E., and Mrs. Fogerty, Limerick, to Ethel O'Donnell, daughter of the late Bryan O'Donnell, 58 William street, Limerick.

**MacARTHUR and BOWERS**—June 23, 1917, at St. George's Parish Church, Dublin, William MacArthur, P.C., Dublin, to Helen Bowers (Baron, France), grandniece of late Mitchell Henry, M.P., Kylemore Castle, Galway.

### DEATHS.

**COOPER**—June 22, 1942, at his residence, Glebe, Coolrain, Joseph Cooper. Deeply regretted by his wife, family, and friends.

**CORRIGAN**—June 21, 1942 (suddenly), at her residence, Parkside, Pinhoe, Exeter, Elsie, beloved wife of Thos. A. Corrigan.

**DALTON**—June 18, 1942, at Fethard-on-Sea, Co. Wexford, John Robert, dearly-beloved husband of Margaret Dalton. Sadly regretted. "Peace, perfect peace."

**GAVIN**—June 22, 1942, at his residence, Kilcreamon, Roscrea, John Gavin (Cattle Dealer). Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Funeral leaving house at 5.15 p.m. (New Time), arriving at St. Cronan's Church, Roscrea, at 6 p.m. (New Time), to-day (Tuesday). Office and Requiem Mass at 10 a.m. (New Time) to-morrow (Wednesday). Funeral immediately afterwards to adjoining Cemetery.

**HOWE**—June 22, 1942, at his residence, 3 Merton Drive, Sandford, Edward William Howe (30 Nassau street), beloved husband of Mary Howe. No flowers, please. Funeral to-morrow (Wednesday) morning, arriving Mount Jerome 11.30.

**HUMPHREYS**—June 22, 1942, at Glenavon, Rushbrooke, Elizabeth Anne, eldest daughter of the late Daniel Humphreys, of Deer Park, Midleton, County Cork, in her 82nd year. Funeral strictly private. No flowers.

**KELLY**—June 21, 1942, at her residence, 31 Upper Beechwood avenue, Dublin, Annie, beloved wife of Bernard Kelly and mother of Rev. Brian Kelly, Howth. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Remains were removed to Church of the Holy Name, Beechwood avenue, at 6 p.m. yesterday (Monday). Funeral (private), after 9 o'clock Mass, this (Tuesday) morning. No flowers.

**LINDSAY**—At his residence, 88 Lower Leeson street, Major William George Lindsay, O.B.E. Funeral private. No flowers. R.I.P.

**MASON**—June 15, 1942, suddenly, at Portrush, John James Black Mason, late of the General Valuation Dept. Interred in Ballywillan, Co. Antrim, Cemetery.

**ST. LEGER**—June 20, 1942, at Ahody, 4 Sandymount road, Dublin, William, dearly-loved husband of Helen St. Leger. Service in St. Matthew's Church, Irishtown, at 10 a.m. to-day (Tuesday), 23rd. Funeral arriving at Mount Jerome 10.30 a.m. "Resting where no shadows fall."

**ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found in Page 2.**

IN MEMORIAM.

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# NEAR EAST TO-DAY

By Our Military Correspondent.

IN the palmy days of the old Prize Ring, one of the most famous "mills" fought was that in which Mendoza the Jew defeated Deaf Burke. The then Marquis of Waterford had not only staked his own countryman, but had also backed him to win a very considerable sum. After the fight—in the tent that then served for a "dressing-room"—he questioned: "Damn it, Burke. How did he beat you?" The vanquished pugilist scratched his still-singing head and replied: "Well, me Lord, he hits damned hard—an', what's worse, he keeps on a-doin' it.' The latest Libyan battle is explainable in precisely that way.

These notes have consistently maintained the opinion that the Allies' best policy was to concentrate everything available in the Mediterranean, clear the Axis forces out of Libya up to the Tunisian frontier, and then "enlarge and improve" the guerrilla war-front in Yugoslavia and Greece. They have squandered elsewhere—to no purpose whatever—men, ships and material quite adequate to achieve that much. Since Japan entered the war, the military importance of Egypt and the Suez Canal has increased to an altogether formidable extent. This can now be a real Axis objective—in itself, quite apart from anything that may happen in Russia.

In this connection we have some light thrown by the present distribution of the Luftwaffe in these parts. Taking, first, the Mediterranean itself, we find three sub-divisions: in Africa proper is the 10th Air Corps (Froelich), which seems to be an independent, self-contained formation; in Greece and Crete is the Bomber Group of the 4th Air Fleet (Loehr); in Sicily is portion of the 2nd Air Fleet (Kesselring). These are believed to total some 1,300 operational aircraft. Now, the remarkable thing is that the balance of both the 2nd and 4th Air Fleets are in Russia, the former on the Moscow front, the latter in the Ukraine. It seems reasonable to infer that at least the Luftwaffe treats the Mediterranean and South Russian fronts as one and the same. It is certainly not for nothing that British aircraft have, of late, been bombing Crete and Rhodes airfields at nearly the Malta stage of intensity. By the way, transport planes for the air-borne formations suspected of being on those islands are not included in the 1,300 "operational" machines already mentioned.

### EGYPT

In view of the possibility of an attack on Egypt (this was the season chosen by Bonaparte), it may not be undesirable to consider the geographical conditions. It may be assumed that the Axis forces would seek to turn the intricate country of the Delta—hopeless for mechanised armies. Bonaparte did so, though his army was mainly infantry. Consequently, the vital stretch of river would be that from Assuan to Cairo. This is the season of Low Nile; the rise begins in May at Assuan and three weeks or a month later at Cairo. Peak point is reached at Assuan in mid-September and at Cairo early in October. The average rise is 23-24 feet; and, broadly speaking, one would suppose that the lower the Nile the more favourable for the Axis. The British should be able to withdraw all river craft to the eastern bank and install a serious aero-naval defence along the river. Fortified bridgeheads could be organised at points like Cairo, Assiut, Assuan, etc. It should be possible to make the Nile at least a real anti-tank obstacle—and to make sure that an air-borne force landing in rear of it would be speedily mopped-up.

It is, of course, possible that the Allied Near East forces may be kept guessing and scattered around all over Western Asia. Such is the price to be paid for weakening a thriving front and relinquishing an initiative that had not been any too easy to gain a year and a half ago.

## TOLKA PARK RIOT
### FIVE SENT TO JAIL

Five men who had been convicted by a jury at the Central Criminal Court, Green street, last week of conspiracy and assault on the occasion of the riot at Tolka Park on Sunday, March 22nd last, were sentenced by Mr. Justice Conor Maguire yesterday as follows:—

John Manly (18), Stafford street, 8 months; John Kelly (22), do., 12 months; Thomas Grant (20), Ormond square, 12 months; John Early (22), Stafford street, 12 months, and Joseph Gahan (25), Lower Dominick street, 6 months.

Mr. Justice Conor Maguire, President of the Hirgh Court, said he took into account the recommendation to mercy of the jury and previous good characters in imposing lesser sentences than two years.

### OTHER CHARGES

John Weldon (19½), 68 Meath street; James (21) and Patrick Walsh (17), 4 Ash street; Laurence McCabe (25), do., and Charles Ainscough (16½), 2 Newport street, were put in the dock on charges of conspiring, with others, to assemble riotously at Tolka Park on March 22nd last, and with assaulting James Leonard, John Kelly and Michael Boylan. The prisoners, who were not professionally represented, all pleaded not guilty.

Evidence had not concluded when the Court rose till this morning at 10.30.

## MISSING MAN
### SEEN IN MONTREAL

Information that Mr. Arthur Francis Borthwick Watters, son of the late Mr. Lewis J. Watters, Crown Solicitor for Kilkenny, who disappeared in 1921, had been seen in Montreal in the summer of 1935, led to the adjournment of a motion asking for an Order to presume his death.

The motion arose on an inquiry for the next-of-kin and heir-at-law of his sister, the late Miss Marion Louise Watters, formerly of 25 Waltham terrace, Blackrock and of Kilkenny, and was on behalf of Miss Edith I. M. Watters, Brockley, The Hill, Monkstown, County Dublin, who had stated in an affidavit used on a previous occasion that Mr. Arthur Watters had resided with his parents in Kilkenny up to 1921. He had been an assistant in his father's office, and, to the best of her knowledge, no news of him had been heard by any person since his disappearance.

Mr. T. F. Bacon (instructed by Mr. Francis J. Lanigan), for Miss Edith Watters, informed the Court that advertisements had been published here and in the North of Ireland asking for information about Mr. Watters, and that at the time when the advertisements were published they had no information except that he had disappeared in 1921. Now they had information from Mr. Frank Fitzgerald, horse trainer, Grassyard, Ballyconra, Ballyragget, County Kilkenny, who had made an affidavit stating that when passing through Montreal on his way to Western Canada in the summer of 1923 he met Mr. Watters and talked to him for twenty minutes. Mr. Watters appeared to be in good health and in affluent circumstances. He did not say where he was living or whether he was married, but he believed he said he was working in an office in Montreal. They discussed friends in Kilkenny, but Mr. Watters did not mention any member of his family, and did not discuss his own affairs.

It seemed, said Mr. Bacon, that now they would have to advertise in Canadian papers.

Mr. Justice Black said that that was the proper course, and the motion could be re-entered if necessary.

After the wedding of Mr. John C. Morgan and Miss Jacqueline Whyte, at St. Mary's Church, Enniskerry.

## ARIGNA MINERS FOR TRIAL

At Carrick-on-Shannon District Court Thomas Christie, Rover Lower; Austin Wynne Carnault; Michael Holohan, Aughabehy; Michael Gaffney, Glenkillamy; Patrick J. Daly, Rover Upper; John Flynn, Cashel, Ballyfarnon; Patrick Flynn, Seltanaveeny, and Michael Grogan, Tullyhaw, were returned for trial on bail to Boyle Circuit Court in October next on charges alleging the larceny of iron rail tracks, butch wheels and axles, the property of Arigna Collieries Co., Ltd., and Lynn's Sligo Coal Mining Co., Ltd., and on a second count of receiving knowing same to have been stolen.

The cases occupied three sittings by District Justice Keane before the depositions were closed, and evidence was given by colliery officials identifying the various articles as their property. The Guards proved to taking statements from the defendants, who claimed the articles as their property, some of them saying that they were in their possession for 35 years and before the deaths of their parents.

## STEALING CHARGES

In the Dublin District Court yesterday, before District Justice McCann, James Parkinson (26), North Gloucester street; Patrick Noonan (23), do., and William Collins (25), Lower Rutland street, Dublin, were charged with breaking and entering the premises of John Humphries, North Strand, and stealing whiskey, gin, brandy and wearing apparel, valued at £140. Parkinson and Michael O'Brien (25), Middle Gardiner street, were charged with breaking and entering the premises of Messrs. Hughes Bros., Castleforbes road, and stealing tea valued at £70. Parkinson was also charged with breaking and entering the premises of the Red Gauntlet Glove Company, Upper Abbey street, and stealing £40 in cash. James Good, Middle Gardiner street, was charged with receiving three chests of tea.

The Justice refused informations on the charge of breaking and entering and stealing at Hughes's against Collins, but on a charge of receiving he was returned for trial. All the other accused men also were returned for trial, bail being allowed in each case.

# STOCK MARKET REPORTS

## DUBLIN EXCHANGE

There was a fair accumulation of week-end orders on the Dublin Stock Exchange yesterday, and Irish securities presented a steady to harder appearance in most cases. The latest war advices cast a gloom over the British Industrial group, which closed on a dull note.

Home Government Funds attracted a fair measure of attention at generally steady levels, but British Funds inclined easier, and 3½ p.c. War Loan dipped to 104⅞. Corporation issues were well maintained.

Banks inclined to harden, apart from Bank of Ireland stock, which met with liquidation and relapsed a point to 32¼. Nationals and Royals were fractionally better.

Guinness units, in sympathy with other leading Industrials, were marked down 1/- to 90/6. Great Northern Rails were in request, and the Ord. advanced a point to 21 and the Pref. firmed up to 38½. Great Southern issues showed no change.

Dublin Transport Ord. added pence at 18/9, but Pim Bros. Pref. gave way further to 14/-. Assoc. Chocolate Deb. rose to 9½ and Cement Ord. improved to 34/-. Goulding Ord. made headway to 21/- and the Deb. hardened to 100/-.

### OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

(*) Odd lot. (a) Asked. (b) Bid. (Previous prices in parentheses.)

**GOVERNMENT FUNDS.**—3 p.c. Second National Loan (under £200) 115⅝; 3½ p.c. Fourth Loan (under £200) (107⅞); 107½; 4 p.c. Conversion Loan (110), *110; 3¾ p.c. Financial Agreement (109⅛), 109⅛; do. (under £200), (109⅛), 109; 4 p.c. Exchequer Bonds (109), 109; do. (under £200) (108¾), 108⅞; 3¼ p.c. National Security (104), *103⅞; 4½ p.c. Land Bonds (116), 116; do. (under £200) (116¾), 115⅞; 4 p.c. Land Bonds (105⅝), 105⅜; do. (under £200) (105¼), 105¼; 2½ p.c. Consols (82½), *82¼; 3½ p.c. War Loan (105⅜), 104⅞, ⅞; do. Deed (105), 104⅜, ⅝; 3½ p.c. Conversion Loan, 107⅜.

**CORPORATION STOCKS.**—Dublin 3½ p.c. 1955-80 (103), 103; do. 4 p.c. 1960-85 (106¾), 106¾.

**BANKS.**—Bank of Ireland (32⅝), *32⅝; *41½; Munster and Leinster (107/6), 107/6; National (39/-), 39/3; Provincial Old (40/6), *40/6; Royal (11), *11⅛.

**BREWERIES.**—Cairnes Pref. (18/7½), 18/7½ b; Guinness Ord. (91/6), *90/6.

**RAILS, ETC.**—Great Northern Ord. (20), 20½, 1, 1; do. Pref. (38), 38¼, ½; do. Deb. (79¾), 79¾; Great Southern Pref. (17½), *17⅞; do. Deb. (60½), 60½; L.M.S. 1st Pref., 69¼; Dublin Transport Ord. (18/4½), 18/9.

**IRISH INDUSTRIALS.**—Alliance Gas Ord. (20/-), 19/9 b; Assoc. Chocolate Deb. (9⅛), *9¼; Brooks Thomas Pref. (21/6), 21/6 b; Cement Ord. (33/9), *34/-; Clondalkin Paper Ord. (5/7½), 5/7½; Dockrell Pref. (20/3), 20/3 b; Findlater Deb. (90/-), 91/- b; Goulding Ord. (20/1½), 21/-; do. Deb. (99/7), *100/-; Irish Sugar Pref. (24/9), 24/7½, 4/9; May Roberts (Ireland) Ord. (34/3), 35/3; Merchants Warehousing Ord. (42/-), 42/- b; Pim Bros Pref. (14/6), *14/-; Thwaites (A. and R.) Ord. (63/6), 67/6.

**BRITISH INDUSTRIALS.**—Brit. Celanese Ord., 8/11¼; Coats (J. and P.) Ord. (37/-), 36/-; Courtaulds Ord. (34/6), 33/9, 3/10½; Dunlop Rubbers (27/3), 26/6; Imperial Chemical Ord. (32/-), 31/7½; Imperial Tobacco Ord. (123/6), 122/11½; Metal Box Ord., Eagle Oil, 10/4½; Salts (Saltaire) Ord., 3/6¾; Spiers and Pond Ord. 5/3; do. 6½ p.c Pref., 17/-; Thomas (R.) Ord., 6/9; Walker (J.) 7 p.c. Pref., 33/-.

**IRISH BANKS' RATE** (changed October 26, 1939), 3 p.c.; Loans on Government Stock transferred, 3½ p.c.; Deposits, 1 p.c. The foregoing rates are subject to variation.

## COMPANY NEWS

**Armstrong Siddeley Development**—Net profit £474,655 (against £683,163); total divs. 28⅓ p.c. (against 34½ p.c.) on Ord. for year.

**Apothinaris and Presta.**—The debit balance is raised to £142,463.

**Cable and Wireless (Holding).**—The accounts show very little change from the last year, with dividends from subsidiaries totalling £1,254,293 (against £1,254,097) and other income at £112,892, making the gross revenue slightly up from £1,366,979 to £1,367,185. Administration expenses, directors' fees and income tax take £87,050, compared with £93,375; and, after providing for Funded Income Stock service, there remains a profit of £1,215,706 (against £1,207,950). The full year's dividend has been paid on the 5½ per cent. Cumulative Pref. Stock, and, as already announced, the Ordinary dividend is being maintained at 4 per cent., leaving the carry forward £98,219 higher at £254,905.

**Craig Shipping**—Net profit £5,397 (against £3,520); div. 15 p.c. (against 20 p.c.).

**Gold Coast Main Reef.**—Profit £155,816, compared with £49,455. After providing for the 1941 distribution of 7½ per cent., the carry forward shows a £26,606 decrease at £17,628.

**East London Rubber.**—Net profit £33,199 (against £34,796). Ord. dividend again 7½ p.c.

**Gold Coast Selection Trust.**—Revenue £138,655 (against £266,754). No dividend. For the previous period a dividend of 10 per cent. was paid.

**Darjeeling Cons. Tea.**—Dividend 7½ p.c. (same).

**Kelly's Directories.**—Eighteen months' dividend on the 7½ p.c. Cumulative Pref. shares to June 30, 1942, thus clearing off all arrears of dividend on this class of capital.

**Marlu Gold Mining.**—Operating profit £334,105 (against £468,527 for the previous fourteen months). After providing for the interim dividend of 10 per cent. (same) the whole of the remaining £209,380 (including £10,375 brought in) has been placed to taxation reserve. The total dividend for the previous period was also 10 per cent.

**Selection Trust.**—Profit £197,989 (against £174,020). Dividend repeated at 7½ per cent.

**Twyfords** — Profit £34,520 (against £20,702); final 4 p.c., making 6 p.c. (Same.)

**Venezuelan Oil Concessions**—Dividend 11½ p.c., making 16½ p.c. for year (same).

## STREET COLLECTION

A suspensory sentence of two months' imprisonment was imposed by District Justice McCarthy, in the Dublin District Court yesterday, on Joseph Kearns (30), unemployed, of Holles street, on a charge of making an unauthorised street collection. A similar sentence was imposed on Christopher Crosbie (43), unemployed, of North Cumberland street, who was charged with aiding and abetting Kearns.

## LONDON LOWER

The London Stock Markets yesterday were affected by the news of the fall of Tobruk, but declines were not as great as might have been expected.

Gilt-edge dshowed losses of between ⅛ and ⅜, War Loan 3½ p.c. being ¼ down at 105, and Conversion 3½ p.c. ⅜ at 107⅛. British and Overseas Rails slipped back.

Industrials were a poor market. Breweries, Tobaccos, Stores, Motors and Shipping all shared in the general decline, losses up to 2/- being recorded. Imperial Tobaccos fell 1/3, and "Bats" 1/1½. Courtaulds were down 6d. at 33/9, and Bleachers were still affected by the dividend.

Kaffir dividend-payers turned dull, mainly through lack of interest.

Oils showed a natural reaction to the Tobruk news, and Anglo-Iranians lost 1s. 10½d. Burmahs, Shells and the Eagle issues also fell heavily, but all closed above the worst, there being no selling pressure.

### PRINCIPAL CHANGES

**BRITISH FUNDS.**—Consols 2½ p.c., 82⅞–⅝; 3½ p.c. War Loan, 103–⅛; do. 3 p.c., 101¾–⅛; Funding Loan, 113–⅛; 3½ p.c. Conversion, 107⅞–⅜; Local Loans, 96⅜–⅛.

**RAILS.**—L.M.S., 19⅝–⅛; do. 1923 Pref., 53½–½; L.N.E. Pref. Ord., 4–⅛; do. Def., 2–⅛; do. 2nd Pref., 21½–¼; Southern Pref. Ord., 63½–½; do. Def. Ord. 16–¼; "Canpac," 10⅜–⅛; San Paulo, 53½–½.

**INDUSTRIALS.**—Bleachers, 4/7½–3d.; Brit. Celanese, 9/–41d.; B.A. Tobacco, 78/10½–1/1½; Cable and W., 60½–¼; do. Pref., 101–½; Courtaulds, 33/9–6d.; Dunlop, 27/1½–6d.; Distillers, 74/6–1/-; Elec. and Musical, 16/–41d.; Ford, 24/9–41d.; Fine Spinners, 8/10½–3d.; Guinness, 91/–6d.; Harrods, 35/–1/-; Imp. Tobacco, 64–1s.; Imp. Chemical, 31/9–3d.; Leyland, 61/3–1/3; Sudan Plantns., 23/1½–1/10½; Turner and N., 68/9–1/3; Vickers, 16/–1½d.; Watney, 60/–1/3; Woolworth, 54/10½–7½d.

**MINES.**—Cons. Gold Fields, 11½–1⅛; "Johnnies," 36/3–1/3; Libanon, 7/3–6d.; Rand Select., 20/–1/3; Venterspost, 28/1½–1/3; W. Holdings, 11/3–6d.; W. Reefs, 35/7½–41d.; Blyvoor, 28/6–6d.; Chartered, 21/–3d.; Rhod. Anglo, 12/9–3d.; Rhokana, 6¾–⅛; Victoria Falls, 3⅛–⅛; De Beers Def., 8⅛–⅛; Ashanti, 40/–1/-.

**OILS.**—Anglo-Iranian, 43/9–1/10½; Attock, 37/6–7½d.; Burmah, 35/7½–7½d; Shell Transport, 44/4½–7½d.

**RUBBERS.**—Anglo-Dutch, 8/7½–41d.; Malayam, 25/–6d.; Rubber Trust, 14/6–9d.

## FINANCIAL NOTES

BY OUR LONDON CORRESPONDENT.

A few weeks ago a wave of optimism spread over the London Stock Exchange, partly because of the start of mass air raids by the R.A.F. over Germany, and in more than one section prices rose rather sharply for a demand for stock found the market poorly supplied.

Among the features in price movements was a recovery in Home Rails, more particularly the Ordinary stocks, the optimistic mood having encouraged a hope that interim payments would be made on L.M.S. Ord. and Southern Def. Afterwards the war news induced some cautiousness, and the disappointing reports from Libya produced an easier tone, much of the preceding rise in prices being lost.

There was a little set-back in the Gilt-edged group, the 3½ p.c. War Loan being still quoted at or over 105, while Consols 2½ p.c. stands about 5⅝ points above the lowest of last year. This movement means that the yield to a buyer, which at one time last year was fully 3¼ p.c., has fallen to little over 3 p.c.

Failing much more definite war news, the prospect is that Stock Exchange business will continue on a comparatively small scale, and that a major improvement in prices is unlikely, but there is no reason to expect a material setback in values. It is improbable that investors will get much more than at present on Gilt-edged Securities, but we may see a movement in Industrial Ordinary shares that would make the return on them more attractive. Since the summer of 1940 this return has been gradually getting a little nearer the figure afforded by Gilt-edged stocks, despite the moderate drop in interest return in the latter group.

Many industrial companies will experience difficult times in the future, and, with no prospect of relief from the heavy taxation burden, further cuts in dividends are possible. This is not a good reason, really, for selling the shares with a view to buying something more promising, for the good equities that may be expected to maintain profits are not easy to find.

The distributions for the first half of 1942 of the Transvaal Gold Mining Companies provided rather more instances of reduction than had been expected. This is disappointing to holders, especially those who acquired their shares higher up at a time when gold producing Kaffirs were regarded as a reasonably sound investment. Here, as in some other directions, the level of taxation tends to reduce the amount of profit available for shareholders.

The experience of investors in this group, however, is not to be compared with that of holders of Far Eastern Tin shares, for the latter cannot expect profits on the former scale for a very long time to come. The losses involved must be regarded as among the fortunes, or misfortunes, of war, a consideration that applies to shares of Malayan Rubber Companies, as well as certain Oil shares.

## FOOD MARKETS

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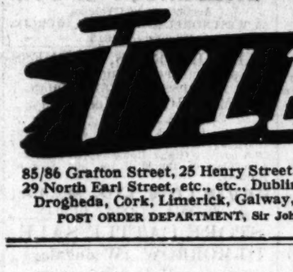

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By MYLES NA gCOPALEEN

Di time agam an lá fá deireadh an an focal nua so an "rationing" acá cuipta an fáil as an Rialtas—"cionnáil." Ni faichteann cionnáil leis an gnáth-duine acc tá a pope fém as an aire:

"Cionnáil dilis, dilis, dilis,
Cionnáil dilis, dhuno liom anall."

Aimsear reamhrú treas an aimsear reo agus inr na cianca ama acá le teacht tuadhfar an leadhan Cionnála le leadan na hUirope, an leadan Deas agus an YBL mar dun-inne reamhrúla na cipe.

Aimsim an na nuaccáin go dtuil duine uasal dabh ainm Feis as cabaire páicear uato an Cúpral Seilleagáin le linn cogaro. Cá pope áno aige ra Roinn Airgeadair inr na Seacaid Aoncuigce. An "Fein-cis" a beir ré an a ceadcomhairle. "Fein-ceol" a cuirtear an an callán a cógann ré an a piano gac oróce Domhnaig.

Taine. dar nDóig, an Saerálg ir fearr an tank cogaro. Aicmigeann taine cáinchi.

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"Ni feirdir ceann cpionna a cur an colainn óig."

(Cá baol dóib piuo an cionnáil dilir?)

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Agur dála na h-aimpire reamhrúla ro féin, ni dóig liom gur fhiuir daoine riam i n-aoir com saroibreac; an Dpéas iread comanda agur raihaicear na linne seo. Deir cadd amain go nuéapna piao slánchpior an baile agur go ndéinic na h-eiceallain go léir ar air rlán; deir an cadd eile gur an baile acá rlán agur gur reprorad na h-eiceallám. Slaccar feild ar cir le láim laiom le n-a "corainc." Cá éadac fá cionnáil i néimin acc cá dpior duinn gur éadac acá ann? Cá dpior duinn nac mórgabraic éigin éapracc acá á caiteam againn? Cá dpior gur lionn nó diocáilte an rcuir ro acá com daop agur com cinneapac? Ir Dpéas eile an t-arán donn ro—nil ré donn agur ni arán é. Ir "fine weather" an aimpeap acá oiniúnac le dombal a dóipceadh anuap ar daoine eile. Ceannuig canna Scháinó ra Mapcáid Dub ar £5 agur bi cinnce gur nin mapdócac leac an rcuir acá fa canna rin. Cá cac daop agur gann acc ni ceapc go mbeadh ar a dpuil ann de luibeanna coiceanca neam-caemhana. Cá pecpoi gann i ngac áit readap na cigce cabaine. Ma deir d'Uaitneadóir leac go dtuil ré a dó a clos, bi cinnce nac dtuil ré an t-arn rin; agur na dtéid iongancar ope ma geid cú ticim le "a namaro" agur "mipe le formad" uipri.

"Ná cheid do nádaire do fóil,
Leac a dcuigse cú ná cuig,
Ná gab rséal deabhóca ac na bheig,
Eirceacc do cluar féin ná cluin."

## LARGER IMPORTS IN MAY

The feature of the external trade returns for May, published yesterday, is that the imports in that month exceeded by almost a quarter of a million pounds the highest of any of the previous twelve months. The value of the imports was £3,176,210. Exports, on the other hand, valued at £2,119,996, were the lowest of any of the preceding twelve months, with the exception of last August.

On the month's trading there was an adverse balance of £1,056,214. The corresponding figure for the previous month of April was £220,870. In each of the preceding six months the balance was inward, and in December last this reached the very large figure of £2,210,470. The value of live animals exported in May was only £710,497, showing a substantial fall as compared with April, when it was £1,028,051. In May of 1941, however, it was only £31,749.

## AUCTION SALES

**Battersby and Co.**—Property sale on 2nd July will include—"Glenlyn," 10 Ionia road, Glasnevin 33 acres at Ballyfermot, Chapelizod; 15 Frankfort Park, Dundrum, and 98 Herberton road, S.C. road. On 30th June they will hold a sale of antique furniture at 50 Lower Ikeathy rd. Their sale on 15th July will include Nos. 3 to 10 (not 8) Arranmore avenue, N.C. road, and 3 Drumville square, S.C. road.

**Thos. Dockrell, Sons and Co.**—On 2nd July this firm will, at their saleroom, South Great George's street, will offer No. 1 Merrion square for sale, let in self-contained flats, showing a net profit of £417 19/6, of which £129 is estimated for the warrant sale portion. On 8th July the house and furniture on the premises, No. 88 Ranelagh road (Irish Nurses' Home). House will be offered for sale at 12 noon, and furniture immediately afterwards. On 9th July they will, at their saleroom, South Great George's street, at 1.15 p.m., offer 215 Botanic avenue, Drumcondra, known as the Horestone Dairy. A wholesale milk licence is attached to the premises.

**"The Housefinder."**—Four lots are announced by auction to be sold by Albert MacArthur, "The Housefinder," at MacArthur House, D'Olier